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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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RESPONSE

Dear Examiner:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 17, 2002, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendment and to consider the following remarks:

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